

## WETLAND ASSESSMENT FIELD FORM

Wetland: \_\_\_\_\_

Sampled By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date/Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Ecoregion: \_\_\_\_\_ Ownership: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Description: \_\_\_\_\_ Topo Map: \_\_\_\_\_

Elevation: \_\_\_\_\_ Natural/Manmade \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Degree of Impairment: 1) Least 2) Slight 3) Moderate 4) Severe

Cause of Impairment: \_\_\_\_\_

Source of Impairment: \_\_\_\_\_

Size/surface area: \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum Depth: \_\_\_\_\_

Percent open water: \_\_\_\_\_ Substrate: \_\_\_\_\_

Water Color (Visual): \_\_\_\_\_ Field pH: \_\_\_\_\_

Field Conductivity: \_\_\_\_\_ Water Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_

Field Turbidity: \_\_\_\_\_ Dissolved Oxygen \_\_\_\_\_

Upland Vegetation in watershed \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Upland Watershed Activities; possible sources of pollution: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Aquatic/Riparian Vegetation: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Hydrology: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Primary Uses of Wetland: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Macroinvertebrates Observed \_\_\_\_\_  
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Periphyton Observed: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Wildlife Observed: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Photo Documentation  
1) Frame No. Sequence and Descriptions \_\_\_\_\_  
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Additional Information: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Samples Collected:      1) Nutrients 2) Metals 3) Commons  
                                 4) Periphyton 5) Macroinvertebrates  
                                 6) Sediment